



Sheet 1 of 1
RECEIVED
JAN 11 2001
TECH CENTER 16002900

Form PTO-1449 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Use several sheets if necessary)	U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 1107	SERIAL NO. 1649-38
		APPLICANT Mahajan et al.	
		FILING DATE March 29, 2000	GROUP 1649-38

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initial	Document Number	Date	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date If Appropriate

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	Document Number	Date	Country	Class	Subclass	Translation Yes	No
AR-2	A19	WO 97/41228	11/06/97	PCT	C12N	15/12	1

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

ARK	A20	Thacker, J., "A surfeit of RAD51-like genes?", <i>Trends in Genetics</i> 15(5):166-168 (1999)
ARK	A21	Shoemaker et al., "Public Soybean EST Project; sf36d09.xl Gm-c1028 Glycine max cDNA clone GENOME SYSTEMS CLON ID: Gm-c1028-2058 3' similar to TR:022144 022144 PUTATIVE DNA REPAIR PROTEIN; mRNA sequence, EMB Database Entry AW310460; Accession No. AW310460 (2000) (XP-002150754)
EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED 10/22/01	
EXAMINER Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.		

RECEIVED
JUN 30 2000

#2 Comb

Sheet 1 of 2

Form PTO-1449

U.S. Department of Commerce
Patent and Trademark Office

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. TECH CENTER 1600/2900

SERIAL NO.

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
BY APPLICANT**

(Use several sheets if necessary)

1107

09/537,654

APPLICANT

Mahajan, et al.

FILING DATE

March 29, 2000

GROUP

1638

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initial	Document Number	Date	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date If Appropriate

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Document Number	Date	Country	Class	Subclass	Translation Yes	No

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

ARd	A1	Shinohara and Ogawa, 1995, <i>Trends in Biochem. Sci.</i> , 237: 387-391, "Homologous recombination and the roles of double-strand breaks"
	A2	Ogawa, et al., 1993, <i>Cold Spring Harb Symp Quant Biol.</i> , 58: 567-576, "RecA-like Recombination Proteins in Eukaryotes: Functions and Structures of RAD51 Genes"
	A3	Johnson and Symington, 1995, <i>Mol. and Cell Biol.</i> , 15(9): 4843-4850, "Functional Differences and Interactions among the Putative RecA Homologs Rad51, Rad55, and Rad57"
	A4	Kans and Mortimer, 1991, <i>Gene</i> , 105(1): 139-140, "Nucleotide sequence of the RAD57 gene of <i>Saccharomyces cerevisiae</i> ""
	A5	Jeggo, P.A., 1998, <i>Radiation Research</i> , 150(5 Suppl): S89-S91, "Identification of Genes Involved in Repair of DNA Double-Strand Breaks in Mammalian Cells"
	A6	Sung, P., 1997, <i>Genes & Development</i> , 11: 1111-1121, "Yeast Rad55 and Rad57 proteins form a heterodimer that functions with replication protein A to promote DNA strand exchange by Rad51 recombinase"
	A7	Sung, P., 1994, <i>Science</i> , 265: 1241-1243, "Catalysis of ATP-Dependent Homologous DNA Pairing and Strand Exchange by Yeast RAD51 Protein"
ARK	A8	Sung and Robberson, 1995, <i>Cell</i> , 82: 453-461, "DNA Strand Exchange Mediated by a RAD51-ssDNA Nucleoprotein Filament with Polarity Opposite to That of RecA"

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.



Form PTO-1449

U.S. Department of Commerce
Patent and Trademark Office

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.

SERIAL NO.

1107

09/537,654

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

BY APPLICANT

(Use several sheets if necessary)

APPLICANT

Mahajan, et al.

FILING DATE

March 29, 2000

GROUP

1638

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

ARK	A9	Vispe and Defais, 1997, <i>Biochimie</i> , 79: 587-592, "Mammalian Rad51 protein: A RecA homologue with pleiotropic functions"
	A10	Yoshimura, et al., 1993, <i>Nucleic Acids Res.</i> , 21: 1665, "Cloning and sequence of the human RecA-like gene cDNA"
	A11	Rice, et al., 1997, <i>Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci USA</i> , 94: 7417-7422, "Isolation of human and mouse genes based on homology to REC2, recombinational repair gene from the fungus <i>Ustilago maydis</i> "
	A12	Albala, et al., 1997, <i>Genomics</i> , 46: 476-479, "Identification of a Novel Human RAD51 Homolog, RAD51B"
	A13	Dosanjh, et al., 1998, <i>Nucleic Acids Res.</i> , 26(5): 1179-1184, "Isolation and characterization of RAD51C, a new human member of the RAD51 family of related genes"
	A14	Pittman, et al., 1998, <i>Genomics</i> , 49: 103-111, "Identification, Characterization, and Genetic Mapping of Rad51d, a New Mouse and Human RAD51/RecA-Related Gene"
	A15	Tsuzuki, et al., 1996, <i>Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA</i> , 93: 6236-6240, "Targeted disruption of the Rad51 gene leads to lethality in embryonic mice"
	A16	Xia, et al., 1997, <i>Mol. and Cell. Biol.</i> , 17(12): 7151-7158, "Elevated Recombination in Immortal Human Cells Is Mediated by HsRAD51 Recombinase"
	A17	Vispe, et al., 1998, <i>Nucleic Acids Res.</i> , 26(12): 2859-2864, "Overexpression of Rad51 protein stimulates homologous recombination and increases resistance of mammalian cells to ionizing radiation"
ARK	A18	Lin, et al., 1999, <i>GenPept Accession No. AAB82635</i> , "Sequence and analysis of chromosome II of <i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i> "

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.